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Dear Gary,

As I think you know from carbons, after the NBC First Tuesday show I decided to file DJ 118 forms on the missing Powell material, including picture(s). Have you anything new on this or Powell (I sent NBC the two FBI reports on him after speaking to the DC Bureau Chief). I expect to get a transcript. I know one will be available if I do not get one to keep and Bud is going to pay for xeroxing one for himself. Let me know if you want one and can't get it from NBC.

There will be extra pressure for a week on the book, after which that will slack off and legal pressures will pick up. My effort to do something to DJ for lying in court has actually been assigned to a judge to hear. I suppose soon. Paul hasn't gotten the Ferrie Complaint draft and I wont return to it until I am clear of other things, hoping to hear from him by then. His last letter, carbon to you, is incredible. Have you any added professional opinion?

He has yet to send me any copies of what he got at Archives last trip. Or, to the best of my recollection, a list.

When I said "or Powell" above, I really meant Murray. If I get any NBC interest, that is a fascinating bit. I may ask the Senate committee that is going to look into this (I understand) to hear me on what happened that trip.

Bursitis in shoulders, mostly right, restricting me some. I'm not supposed to type at all.

Hope you are as well as you are busy. My southern contact didn't get here, nor have I heard from him. I'd looked forward to his Bringuier interview. He'd said that asking the questions I'd asked him to ask elicited interesting answers. I presume he'll send tape before too long, though there has been time.

Best,